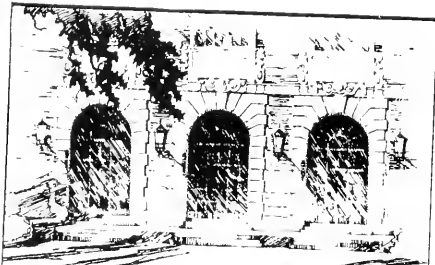


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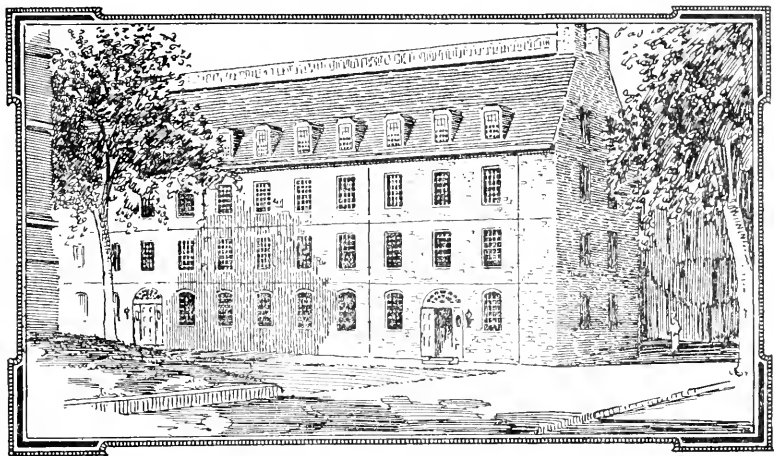


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GENERAL ELECTRIC

On The Hill

The Charter is Changed

ON June 17, 1926, the 162-year-old charter of Brown University was substantially amended. It was not the first time that the ancient instrument had been changed in spite of its iron-clad provisions framed for the purpose of keeping it forever in its original form; for during the Civil War a minor alteration was made—and it may be added that the world did not collapse in consequence. Now a much more important amendment has come into effect. Hereafter a President may be chosen without regard to his religious affiliations. He may have any or none. And six members are to be added to the Board of Trustees, all of them derivable from any or no ecclesiastical communion, according as may seem wise to those with whom the choice rests.

It is inconceivable to us that anything but good will flow from these changes. In the last twenty-six years (that is, since the first number of the Brown Alumni Monthly was printed) we have said a great many times that in our judgment the charter ought to be changed, and we have frankly given our reasons. We regret that the changes now effective do not go further, but we look for the time when another logical forward step will be taken. It must be taken first or last for the larger welfare of the University.

Meanwhile we are grateful for the partial freeing of the institution from sectarian control. We are more nearly on the platform of academic liberty on which those universities with which we like to maintain the closest relations have long

stood. Take Yale, for example. It has its Congregational traditions, but the old-time restrictions of its charter have been swept away and the Congregationalists are not now the most numerous sect in the student body. First come the Episcopalians; and in the Yale Divinity School there are more Methodists than there are representatives of any other branch of the Christian Church. At Brown, which once attracted a plurality of Baptists, if not an actual majority, the Episcopalians and Congregationalists both rank numerically ahead of the Baptists to-day.

The act of the General Assembly granting the charter changes asked for by the Brown University Corporation provided that the Corporation must, after accepting the changes as made by the Assembly, notify the Secretary of State under the Corporation seal and with the signatures of the President and Secretary. Immediately after the Corporation had taken affirmative action on June 17, the acceptance was, as provided, sent to the office of the Secretary of State, and thus automatically the New Charter, if we may call it that, was put into operation. It was a glad day for intelligent academic liberalism at Brown.

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Wanted: A Reunion Song

PRESIDENT FAUNCE writes us that he wishes a Brown hymn for use at class reunions might be written, and we wish so too. We mean, and we think he means, not a mere light-hearted song of good fellowship but one that will combine sentiment and emotion with dignity. As

he says, "class reunions are an increasing feature of university life," and it seems to us that they deserve a recognized Reunion Song that will be good enough, both in words and in music, to become a regular feature of our class gatherings. But who will produce it?

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Mendenhall at the Front

SPEAKING of reunion songs, Abram Mendenhall is surely the poet laureate and sweet singer of the class of 1891. At the remarkable reunion at the Warwick Country Club at which this energetic class graciously entertained the classes of 1889, 1890, 1892 and 1893, pamphlets were distributed wherein were contained no fewer than eighteen songs from his prolific pen. We particularly liked the one to the air of "Carry Me Back to Old Virginia," the last stanza of which contained these graceful lines:

"Then carry me back to old Brunonia,
Back 'cross that web of dreams fond
memories have spun,
Made of silver moon-beams and perfume
of the roses,
Staunch, strong, deep-rooted in the hearts
of Ninety-One."

We may add that Arthur Colby contributed three other songs to the pamphlet. It is safe to say that no other Brown class ever had such a collection of songs of its own. Moreover, E. B. Birge, who teaches music for a living Out West, wrote the music for one of the best Brown songs (the words by Eli Whitney Blake) and the class reunion this year was fortunate enough to have him at the piano.

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A Well-Planned Reunion

WHILE we are on the subject, we may as well set down our impressions of this 1891 reunion. Everyone who attended it and to whom we have spoken regarding it says it was the best ever. That is our

feeling also. And the reason is not far to seek. Every detail was carefully thought out in advance. "Bill" Perry, as chairman of the committee, was at Warwick two days in advance preparing for the great event and giving it the advantage of his long experience as Mine Host at the celebrated inn in Lakeville, Connecticut, which he conducts (adv.). Mendenhall and his assistant musicians drilled industriously on the songs, and in all other respects the reunion was well planned and managed. Tom MacDonnell, president of the class, Arthur Colby and others did their full share. The result was a wonderful reunion, not the least feature of which was the luncheon on Tuesday at which the four classes that were in college with Ninety-One were privileged to be present.

We especially urge the holding of joint reunions after this fashion. When we were in college the undergraduate body was so small that everybody knew everybody else. As for us, there was a time when we could recite the catalogue through, middle names and all. It stands to reason that with a college of only three hundred men a student's friends will be found outside as well as inside his own class; and that is one reason the 1891 reunion, embracing five classes, was so enjoyable.

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We Must Have a Crew

AT the risk of seeming to be dogmatic, we venture to say that Brown must have a crew. The athletic authorities at the University have never seen their way clear to provide one, but we find sentiment in favor of the innovation steadily on the increase, both within and without the student body.

Not long ago we happened to be driving along the west bank of the Seekonk river with a Yale graduate who used to row at New Haven. He had never seen the Seekonk before and, viewing its extraordinary

possibilities as a rowing course thus for the first time, he exclaimed: "It's a crime that Brown hasn't a crew! Why, we haven't anything nearly as good as this at New Haven."

Not long after this we watched the Yale-Harvard race at New London. It was one of the finest June evenings of the summer. The Thames was a miracle of light and color and liveliness. The yachts along the course were numberless, the crowds on shore were a happy, holiday host. Seventy thousand people witnessed the race, one account said. Objectors to a Brown crew would add: "And not one of them paid a cent into the Yale or Harvard athletic treasury." We grant it, but we are sure that both Yale and Harvard profited in other ways from the beautiful regatta, an annual event that has no peer in inter-collegiate New England.

We do not propose that Brown shall attempt anything on the Yale-Harvard scale, but we do say that the time has come to demonstrate that an institution of 1300 undergraduate men can do something toward making itself a rowing college. Brown in the early seventies, when it had only 250 students, produced a Freshman crew that defeated the Freshman crews of Yale, Harvard and Amherst in a glorious race.

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Reasons for Cheerfulness

IF ONE stops to think of it, there are always reasons for cheerfulness as well as the reverse. Take, for example, a recent afternoon when the varsity baseball team lost a game. On the same day almost every other athletic team connected with the University won from its opponents. There is always something to arouse optimism if one will but look around a little.

Our University nine certainly did not

make much of a showing this year and the football eleven was a disappointment last fall. But let us take long views of the Brown athletic situation. If we are in a slump at present, we shall some day be out of it. Our teams cannot win all the time. And at least we have made substantial progress in important ways. We have a fine new stadium, an ideal baseball plant, new tennis courts, a football coach who will be in Providence all the year directing our fortunes in basketball as well as in football; and an up-to-date gymnasium will be added to our facilities in the near future. This is all substantial and encouraging.

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Next Year's Freshman Class

AS we go to press (on July second) applications are pouring in for admission to the Freshman class at both the Men's and the Women's College. The outlook is good for at least as large a total as last year, with strict limitation of applicants to those who can meet the University's requirements without conditions. Brown's admission standards are unquestionably higher than ever before.

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Baseball vs. "'B' Diplomas"

THE Alumni Office informs us that it has received protests from graduates against the practice of bestowing "'B' diplomas" on a long list of Brown athletes in the midst of the Commencement Day baseball game. The Alumni Monthly feels that the practice of awarding these "diplomas" during the game should be abolished. It stops the play, introduces an irrelevant interest and must seem peculiarly inopportune to the members of the visiting nine. The ten or fifteen minutes consumed by it should not be taken out of the ball players' time.

Commencement, 1926

418 Degrees Granted

MORE degrees than ever before in the history of Brown University were granted at this Commencement. For the first time there were two ceremonies of bestowal, the candidates for advanced degrees receiving their diplomas at a conference in Sayles Hall on Tuesday afternoon. This arrangement, which was adopted at Yale also this year for the first time, was rendered highly desirable by the large number of recipients of degrees—no less than 418.

The First Baptist Meeting House seats 1300 persons, and if these 418 persons had all been present there with an average of two friends apiece, there would have been practically no room for anyone else.

At the convocation of Tuesday 47 advanced degrees were bestowed, while first degrees were granted at the meeting house on Wednesday to 267 men and 100 women, and four honorary degrees were also bestowed.

Dr. Faunce did not march in the procession down the hill, and at the church he took no part in the ceremonies until after the three Senior addresses had been delivered, Dr. W. W. Keen '59 presiding. At Sayles Hall Dr. Faunce declared that while a year ago he had talked to the alumni gathering over the radio, this year he had brought the radio with him. He said that he is now 75 per cent. efficient and expects to be 100 per cent. efficient in September. He certainly looks well after his prolonged and serious illness.

A Million More for Brown

AT THE alumni exercises in Sayles Hall on Commencement afternoon it was announced that the condition necessary to secure the generous gift of \$500,-

000 to the University, made by Henry L. Aldrich '76 and his brother, Charles T. Aldrich '77, of Providence, had been met. The Messrs. Aldrich offered, on April 8, 1925, to give a half million dollars if this amount should be duplicated from other sources. Henry D. Sharpe '94 of Providence, chairman of the committee having the matter in hand, was able to report on Commencement Day that success had crowned his effort to obtain the second \$500,000 and that accordingly the University's resources will be increased by a million dollars.

Congratulations are thus in order to all concerned. In behalf of the alumni and alumnae of Brown the Alumni Monthly extends to "the Aldrich brothers," as they have come to be familiarly and affectionately called in Brunonian circles, sincere thanks and appreciation. To every contributor to the second \$500,000 fund, also, the gratitude of every friend of Brown is due.

A million dollars more of productive resources is extremely timely.

Associated Alumni

AT THE annual meeting of the Associated Alumni on Tuesday evening of Commencement week, a principal topic of discussion was the proposed Brown University Athletic Council, which has been proposed as a substitute for the various bodies now in charge of athletics and athletic policies at Brown.

Colonel Michael J. Lynch, one of Brown's famous pitchers of other days, asked who was responsible for the plan. George F. Bean, University Trustee and a member of the Corporation committee that recommended the change, explained the committee's work and reasons.

"If it is intended to bar professional coaches, particularly in baseball," said

Colonel Lynch, "I am not in favor of it. I speak frankly for professional coaches for our teams and I maintain that Brown is too rich in baseball traditions not to have the best coach available."

After Mr. Bean explained that he did not think the new council would rule against professionals who might not qualify as members of the faculty, Wiley H. Marble said that he believed that the alumni should be represented on the council by more than two members, as is the proposal. John L. Curran also spoke on the question with a strong plea for a better spirit—"the old Brown spirit"—among both alumni and undergraduates.

President Henry G. Clark of the Associated Alumni announced that a majority of the alumni vote in response to a questionnaire had been in favor of "bigger and better" class reunions, with less emphasis on the Commencement Day baseball game. The meeting sent a message of good wishes to Rev. William J. Batt '55, who graduated longer ago than any other alumnus now living.

Treasurer Byron S. Watson reported that the Loyalty Fund has had contributions from more individuals this year than ever before.

Following the business session, alumni members of Sock and Buskin, under the direction of Benjamin W. Brown and Rufus C. Fuller, Jr., presented a one-act Russian comedy which Robert B. Jones in a clever curtain speech referred to variously as "Chaos," "Calamity," "Vortex," or "What Have You?" The piece was finely mounted, well acted and met with much appreciation.

Honorary Degrees

FOLLOWING are President Faunce's citations at the conferring of honorary degrees:

Sc. D. Winthrop John Vanleuven Osthout, Brown '93, former Professor of Botany at California and later at Harvard,

now engaged in research at the Rockefeller Institute, lifelong student of plant physiology, investigator whose unwearied truth-seeking has thrown new light on the fundamental problems of life.

Litt. D. Walter Hampden, actor and producer, who twenty years ago presented Hamlet on the London stage, and since then in England and America has pursued a career of ever widening influence, maintaining high aims by constant sacrifice, guest to-day of a university which a century ago forbade its students to visit any theatre, but now welcomes him as a fellow teacher of the great ideal: "Act well your part, there all the honor lies."

LL. D. Marion Edwards Park, once a graduate student at Brown, who early chose the Greek and Latin classics as her field of study, but was chosen by others for high administrative tasks, who through two deanships advanced to the presidency of Bryn Mawr College, where with skill and wisdom and human sympathy she is training hundreds of women for the service of the nation and the world.

LL. D. James Edward Freeman, Bishop of the Diocese of Washington, beginning as a business man and giving fifteen years to the legal and accounting departments of American railways, then advancing to the King's business in the Christian Church, who by manifold publication, by eloquent speech and by his genius for the organization of men is making the Christian faith visibly more effective in guiding the nation and building the Kingdom of God.

Commencement Items

THE oldest alumnus in the Commencement procession down the hill was Rev. Lyman Beecher Tefft '58 of Meshanticut Park, R. I., who was born 93 years ago this month. The next oldest was Dr. William W. Keen '59 of Philadelphia.

The President on Commencement Day

announced that the Loyalty Fund has reached \$97,979.

Fred T. Field 1900 of Boston is transferred from the Board of Trustees to the Board of Fellows, taking the place of the late Rev. H. S. Burrage. Rev. Clarence A. Barbour '88 of Rochester succeeds the late A. C. Bedford on the Board of Trustees.

The vote for University Trustees resulted in the re-election of Frank W. Matteson '92 (Treasurer of the University), Episcopalian, and George F. Bean '81, Congregationalist. The total number of persons voting was 1909, 39 per cent. of the qualified voters.

The University Corporation has voted

to create the Brown University Council as outlined in the June Alumni Monthly. Members already chosen are the President and Treasurer of the University, Paul C. DeWolf, Norman S. Taber, Charles P. Sisson, Byron S. Watson and Henry G. Clark. Four members from the Faculty will also serve.

President Faunce might have added, in bestowing the degree of doctor of laws on Miss Marion Edwards Park, President of Bryn Mawr College, that she is a granddaughter of Edwards Amasa Park, who received the degree of A. B. at Brown just 100 years ago, that of D. D., also at Brown, just 80 years ago, and that of LL.D., at Brown, just 40 years ago.

Many Class Reunions

BBROWN alumni representing nearly three generations gathered in Providence and throughout the State for their reunions in the early part of Commencement week. The extremes in age were marked by Rev. William J. Batt of Concord Junction, Mass., who graduated from Brown in 1855, nearly three-quarters of a century ago, and by 28 members of the class of 1925, who held an informal reunion at Conanicut Island.

The most venerable gathering was that of all classes who have passed their 50th anniversary. This group, numbering 17 in all, met at Carr's on Angell street. Professor Wilfred H. Munro '70 presided.

To the class of 1876 goes the distinction of having the largest proportion of living alumni in attendance. Of the 24 members now alive, 21 braved the rainy weather to meet for the last time in separate reunion the comrades of their youth. They gathered at the home of Henry L. Aldrich at 230 Hope street for luncheon on Tuesday, grouping around a blazing log fire.

The long-distance record was won by Merrick L. Streeter of the class of 1907. He made the trip from Burma, India, to

meet with his class at the Wannamoisett Country Club. Charles Fowler, Jr., another member of 1907, came from Galveston, Texas, and Stephen G. Goldthwaite '90 from Boone, Iowa.

The Senior Seniors

Seventeen Brown graduates, eligible for the 50 years plus banquet, attended that annual event at Carr's. Rev. Alfred E. Johnson '71 came from Orlando, Fla.

Those present were Rev. William J. Batt '55, Concord Junction, Mass.; Horace F. Carpenter '64, Providence; George A. Bacon '67, Bolton, Mass.; John E. Bowen '67, Providence; Martin S. Smith '67, North Scituate; William E. Lincoln '68, Pittsburgh, Pa.; William T. Peck '70, Providence; Professor Wilfred H. Munro '70, Providence; Rev. Alfred E. Johnson '71, Providence; Edward B. Hamlin '72, Providence; Judge George T. Brown '73, Providence; John B. Grinnell '73, Mystic, Conn.; Frank P. Bourne '73, Providence; Abel P. Tanner '74, New London, Conn.; Rev. Henry M. Penniman '74, Berea, Ky., and William H. Scott '75, Providence.

Class of 1876

The oldest class to have a separate reunion met on its semi-centennial at the home of Henry L. Aldrich at 230 Hope street. Of the 24 living members, 21 were present. Mr. Aldrich gave a luncheon for them at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon. In addition to Mr. Aldrich, those present were Judge Arthur L. Brown, Dr. Charles V. Chapin, Edward A. Greene, Dr. Eugene P. King, Dr. Henry A. Whitmarsh and Webster Knight of Providence; Howard L. Clark of Newport, Frederic Taber and Edmund Wood of New Bedford, Porter L. Wood of Seymour, Conn.; Clarkson A. Collins and Richard H. Tingley of New York city, Charles R. Heath of Mystic, Conn.; Rev. Millard F. Johnson of Rock, Mass., Charles H. Poor of Haverhill, Mass., Dr. Arthur M. Rounds of Norton, Mass., Cromwell T. Schubarth, Professor John T. Shaw and Dr. George C. Smith of Boston and Edward O. Stanley of East Orange, N. J.

Class of 1877

The class of 1877 turned out 15 strong for a trip to Newport on the "Wonaloa," the yacht of Charles T. Aldrich, who was host also at dinner during the trip. The class met at 3 o'clock in the afternoon for the voyage and returned to this city in the evening. In spite of rough weather the hours were happily spent.

Those who attended the reunion: Arthur G. Griffin, Andover, Mass.; Asa E. Goddard, Manomet, Mass.; Dr. George C. Ward, Worcester; Thomas E. Bartlett, Providence; Clarke H. Johnson, Greene; Dr. C. H. Finch, Providence; Judge Frederick Rueckert, Providence; Fred H. Williams, Boston; Dr. Frank P. Capron, Providence; Raymond G. Mowry, Providence; Dryden W. Phelps, San Diego, Cal.; Dr. Edward E. Pierce, Exeter; Charles B. Elder, Worcester; Charles T. Aldrich, Providence, and Thomas A. Jencks, Providence.

Class of 1879

Henry B. Anthony of Hartford was host to the class of 1879 at their 47th anniversary, celebrated by luncheon and dinner at Jim Smith's Inn at Pawtuxet.

Those present: Edward S. Adams, Fall River; Henry B. Anthony, Hartford; Rev. Alva E. Carpenter, Providence; George F. Comstock, Wilbraham, Mass.; James H. Earle, Cranston; Alfred U. Eddy, Providence; R. Clinton Fuller, Providence; John Jesse Greene, Hope Valley; Dr. Arthur H. Harrington, Cranston; Henry W. Keigwin, Mount Vernon, N. Y.; William Ely, Providence; Edward S. Marsh, Brandon, Vt.; Dr. Walter L. Munro, Providence; William R. Tillinghast, Providence; Henry O. Tripp, Arlington; Francis H. Viets, Waltham, Mass.; Dr. Stephen A. Welch, Providence.

Class of 1880

The class of 1880 held its reunion at the Anawan Club. Present were Charles R. Adams, Walter F. Angell, Henry J. Boyce, Truman Beckwith, George T. Baker, Z. Chafee, Prescott O. Clarke, John L. Crane, Henry Dunster, Augustus A. Greene, Fred T. Hammett, William H. Lane, George E. Perry, James G. Lincoln, Samuel H. Ordway, Frank L. Tinkham, Benjamin F. Thurston, Frederick J. Walton, William H. Winslow and Professor Harry Lyman Koopman, guest. Mr. Winslow came from Virginia to attend the reunion.

Class of 1881

Twelve of the 23 living members of the class of 1881 were guests of John R. Gladding at a luncheon in the Hope Club. Charles Evans Hughes was conspicuous by his first absence from a reunion since the class graduated. He sailed for Europe on the day of the reunion.

Those present in addition to Mr. Gladding were Paul C. Gifford, Henry B. Rose and Walter J. Towne of Providence; Ben-

jamin Barker of New York city, Hon. George F. Bean of Woburn, Mass.; Professor Morgan Brooks of Urbana, Ill.; Rev. William S. Chase of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Frank H. Gifford of New Bedford, Dr. Howard C. Jewett of Haverhill, Mass.; Horace W. Rice of Haddam, Conn., and Thomas G. Hazard, Jr., of Narragansett Pier.

Class of 1882

Five members of the class of 1882 held a reunion dinner at Carr's. The class is to celebrate its 45th anniversary next year and no out-of-town members attended this year. Those present were Edward C. Bixby, Elmer S. Hosmer, Harry C. Clark and Professor Walter B. Jacobs of Providence, and Charles R. Thurston of Pawtucket.

Class of 1885

The reunion of the class of 1885 was held at the summer home of A. T. Wall, Green Shutters, at Watch Hill. A luncheon was served there at noon and later the party was taken to the Misquamicut Golf Club for the afternoon. Among those present were Knight C. Richmond, Clifford P. Seagrave, Dr. George S. Mathews, Professor Walter G. Everett, J. C. Hebden, C. F. Sawyer, Judge Arthur P. Sumner, E. H. Grout, P. H. Coleman, William C. Burwell, Andrew McC. Warren, F. H. Brown, Charles E. Bassett.

Class of 1886

Twenty-three members of the class of 1886 dined at Green Acre Lodge.

Those present were Howard Almy, Woodstock, Vt.; William H. Beattie, Fall River; Dr. William H. Bennett, Fitchburg, Mass.; Charles W. Boardman, Pawtucket; Edward C. Burnham, Hopedale, Mass.; Clarence Bury, Fall River; Asa C. Crowell, Providence; Solon C. Kelley, Stamford, Conn.; Clarence H. Manchester, Providence; Rev. J. Matteson, Whit-

man, Mass.; Rev. C. A. Parker, Redwood City, Cal.; Rev. W. B. Parshley, Winter Park, Fla.; A. K. Potter, Providence; Thomas George Rees, Jamaica Plain, Mass.; L. L. Dick, Sharon, Mass.; W. Allan Dyer, Syracuse, N. Y.; Dr. Daniel H. Fuller, Upper Derby, Pa.; George Grime, Fall River; Norman Gunderson, Brookline, Mass.; Norman M. Isham, Providence; Rev. Arthur Wadsworth, Boston; Stephen Waterman, Providence, and Professor George G. Wilson, Cambridge, Mass.

1891 Entertains

The enterprising class of 1891 entertained at luncheon on Tuesday the classes of 1889, 1890, 1892 and 1893. In spite of the rain, a company of 100 members of these five classes gathered at the Warwick Country Club. Special guests were Professor Appleton '63, W. T. Peck '70 and Comptroller Burlingame. T. F. I. MacDonnell presided and responses for their respective classes were made by E. H. Rathbun '89, H. R. Palmer '90, F. W. Matteson '92 and A. C. Matteson '93. Professor Appleton and Principal Peck also spoke. In recognition of 1891's courtesy, the other classes presented it with a silver loving cup.

This luncheon was only one of a series of interesting features of the reunion which was in all respects a success.

Class of 1895

Ten members of 1895 had a dinner at the Wannamoisett Golf Club on Tuesday evening.

Class of 1896

The reunion of the class of 1896, piloted chiefly by Allison Stone, was pleasant and successful, with 40 members in attendance. Luncheon and dinner were served at the Rhode Island Country Club at Nayatt, with District Attorney John S. Murdock as toastmaster.

Later Classes

1897 dined at Wannamoisett, with 13 present. . . 1901 was at the Sakonnet Inn, with 48 in attendance. . . Thirty members of 1902 dined at the Agawam Hunt. . . 1904 mustered a dozen men at Wannamoisett. . . Kingston Inn was the scene of 1905's reunion; 18 present. . . 1906 had 66 men in attendance at the Cold Spring House, Wickford. . . Twenty-one members of 1907 met at Wannamoisett. . . 1908 and 1909 had dinner together at the Rhode Island Country Club; 11 from 1908 were present and 27 from 1909. . . Wannamoisett entertained 15 members of 1910. . . 1911 "reuned" at Hotel Thorndike, Jamestown 30 strong. . . Four members of 1912 dined at Wannamoisett with members of other classes. . . 1914 mustered 23

men at Wannamoisett. . . 55 members of 1916 held their reunion at the Gardner Inn, Jamestown. The reunion began Saturday night and golf, tennis and a shore dinner were among the features. It was voted to establish a Class of 1916 scholarship fund. . . 1917 had 16 members for golf and dinner at the Agawam Hunt. . . 1918, 1919 and 1920 had a joint reunion at the Hotel Carlton, Narragansett. 1918 contributed 28 members, 1919 the same number and 1920 eight. There were golf, tennis, baseball and bridge. . . 1921 and 1923 met together at Quonset Point. On the programme were a clam-bake and a baseball game (4 to 2, won by 1923, Curley Oden pitching and striking out 17 men in four innings). . . 28 members of 1925 went to Conanicut Island and enjoyed a clam-bake, a baseball game and other sports.

A Student Counsellor at Brown

IN connection with the appointment of Mr. O. T. Gilmore as Student Counsellor, readers of the Monthly may be interested in some extracts from the report of the committee appointed to consider the general topic of stimulating and directing the spiritual life of the undergraduate body. The committee, reporting to the Corporation, has thus expressed its purposes:

The highest and most difficult of ideals for the University is that every undergraduate shall have an increase in spiritual impulses during his life at Brown.

Larger provision for the moral and religious development of undergraduates is a clear necessity. We cannot teach dogmatic theology and have no wish to do so. But to lend all possible encouragement to the spiritual life is our prime duty.

At the outset the thought was that we could rely solely upon what might be accomplished by a representative of the University individually in the various contacts that are possible with the students in a college community. He would be interested

in athletics, a visitor in the chapter houses, a member of various committees related to student work, a visitor in time of illness, and with a home in which to entertain, and an office for special and private conferences.

As our investigations, however, became more extended we came to appreciate more fully the various agencies which now exist or may be developed on the campus and in our community; and it is now regarded as an important part of our undertaking that the man in charge of this work should also try to correlate, unify and develop these agencies.

Through his help we may offer to every agency the support and co-operation of Brown University in its effort for students' welfare. Among the agencies are the churches of Providence, the Brown Christian Association and the Department of Biblical Literature, which appeal particularly as religious organizations to certain groups of students. Among the Faculty there are a number of men who reach the students, who approach their perplexities

through intellectual methods; and the Deans talk with many who look for assistance as to the noblest conduct of life. The fraternities, through their leading members and alumni, are doing much for the idealists among the students, and there are groups of alumni and many among the parents who are disposed to co-operate, and many among the younger members of the Faculty deserve special mention in this connection.

The thought is not to herald any great changes; but to create gradually, as far as possible, an atmosphere of thoughtfulness and helpfulness through many channels. Improved Chapel exercises, better music at Chapel, more vesper services and more college preachers may be mentioned as additions to the agencies to which we have referred.

We may also state, as of interest, that it has long been the desire of the General Education Board to have plans worked out and thorough demonstrations of desirable methods attempted, not only in State institutions, but in endowed colleges. Members of your committee have talked with Dr. Sage, who visited Brown on behalf of the General Education Board in his survey

on this subject, and we have profited by a number of his recommendations.

It is also appropriate to recall that since its foundation Brown has carried on this work in many ways, and notably by an unusual amount of personal contact between its Presidents and its students.

The appointment of a man whose thought and time shall be given chiefly to this work is an adaptation to modern conditions, and supplements what a President is able to do restricted as he is by other innumerable duties.

The thought of the committee and what we hope may be referred to as the Brown idea, is first, that this work shall be carried on by the College and not under the direction of some outside agency, either church or Y. M. C. A.; and in the second place that it shall be the work not of one man alone but recognized as the effort and co-operation of many agencies with his general influence and co-ordination. It is not only a man but a movement of which a man is a part that we are supporting. The possibilities from this point of view are certainly inspiring. There is almost no limit to what may be done.

Godwin's Political Justice

By Professor Benjamin C. Clough

PROFESSOR Raymond A. Preston of the class of 1914, lately of the faculty of Washington and Jefferson College, formerly of the Brown faculty, and at present engaged in graduate study at Harvard, has just edited for A. A. Knopf in the Political Science Classics a famous treatise which has suffered curious neglect for more than a century.

This is "An Enquiry Concerning Political Justice," by William Godwin. To the average reader Godwin is best known as the father-in-law of Shelley; but Shelley was not the only young man who looked to Godwin as to an oracle, and as for "Political Justice," Hazlitt hardly overstated

the case when he said, "no work in our time gave such a blow to the philosophical mind of the country."

In an excellent preface of 32 pages Professor Preston estimates the career and influence of Godwin and his book. He has abridged the work by leaving out certain parts (mainly metaphysical) which Godwin himself thought of secondary importance; even so, the work occupies two volumes. One reason for this may be found in Professor Preston's just remark that the work proceeds by "raising and answering more objections than all Godwin's opponents together could devise."

Godwin's book is usually most inaccu-

rately described, and by critics who quite obviously have not read it. Thanks to Professor Preston, it can now once more

stand on its own merits—and very great ones they are.

Dr. Marvel Makes a Report

FOOTBALL is the only paying sport at Brown, according to the report of Dr. Fred W. Marvel, director of athletics, for the period ending July 31, 1925, just made public. The report shows a profit from baseball, but explains that baseball has produced a profit only four times in the past 12 years and still has a deficit for its total existence. Profits from football were \$48,955.68 out of a gross income of \$99,867.35, and these profits, added to approximately \$6000 from baseball, paid for all athletic activities at Brown and left a net gain of more than \$37,000.

When he took over the supervision of Brown sports in 1906, Dr. Marvel was faced with a deficit of \$118.95. His report shows that the department had a total of \$89,753.64, either in cash or in investments, on July 31, 1925. In the interval Brown increased its sports from football, baseball and track, to 10, and it has recently added two more. The number of teams now competing in intercollegiate athletics has increased from three to 18. In addition there has been a great growth in intra-mural activities, practically every able-bodied student competing on at least one team, 'Varsity, Freshman or intra-mural.

Below is listed the income and expense report for 1924-25:

	Income	Expense
Football	\$99,867.35	\$50,911.67
Baseball	26,162.51	20,023.36
Track	1,204.48	9,306.49
Basketball	1,549.50	5,002.05
Swimming	1,561.75	3,378.08
Wrestling	1,108.25	2,427.03
Tennis	161.75	768.47
Interscholastic—		
Track	263.25	266.87

Miscellaneous—		
General	3,193.62	5,051.74
Total	\$135,072.46	\$97,562.62
Profit—	\$37,509.84.	

The report also lists funds received by the department from 1906 to 1925 as follows:

1906-07	\$ 18,089.15
1907-08	24,891.71
1908-09	28,507.56
1909-10	25,701.10
1910-11	36,040.32
1911-12	45,643.79
1912-13	44,484.86
1913-14	36,583.97
1914-15	37,676.48
1915-16	29,196.10
1916-17	38,006.22
1917-18	16,821.03
1918-19	14,658.79
1919-20	56,807.59
1920-21	55,049.43
1921-22	58,615.45
1922-23	78,475.62
1923-24	98,449.99
1924-25	135,072.46

“The greater part of this money has accumulated during the past few years while anticipating each year the new field and gymnasium,” says Dr. Marvel. “Each year the work on building the fields and gymnasium has been postponed. During this time we did not spend any more money than was absolutely necessary to keep the old field in condition.

“Now that we have the field and hope very soon to have the new gymnasium, this sinking fund will be needed to make it possible to develop new sports such as lacrosse, soccer, fencing, etc., and also to

provide for more men who will wish to participate in the sports we already have. I have studied the physical education and athletic departments of other institutions, including some of the leading colleges in the Middle West, which have their athletics well organized, always looking forward to the time when Brown would have an opportunity for the first time in its history to put through a big programme of recreation and athletic competition for all the students.

"I have always maintained that the only justification of such a plant as Brown is

now building was the opportunity it offered from its receipts to give all the students a chance to participate and compete in recreational games and activities.

"Careful planning and hard work of the management, co-operation on the part of the coaches and undergraduate managers, together with the courage and fortitude of our athletic teams to tackle any schedule, no matter how hard, have made it possible for me to carry out my ambition, a \$100,000 sinking fund, with which to start the new plant."

From Chengtu to College Hill

A LETTER TO DENNIS F. O'BRIEN '98, CLASS AGENT OF THE LOYALTY FUND

By Joseph Taylor '98

YOUR letter of December 17, 1925, reached me a few days ago and brought a whiff of air from the old college on the Hill. I was mightily set up to see your signature and to know that you are "putting in a few licks" for old Brown.

I would like to get under my share of the load and help boost the old college; but the fact is I am giving to my limit—which is soon reached in the realm of finance. I have had lots of fun giving \$5.00 annually to the Loyalty Fund, but can't give more. Five plunks are not much when the University is trying to get two millions; but then, you know, an ordinary garden variety of missionary in the Baptist Church is never burdened with wealth. It seems as if we were kept on the order of the young minister who, after his ordination, was going home with one of his deacons. The old fellow put his arm around the young minister and said: "And now, my young brother, the Lord keep you humble, and we'll keep you poor." I don't know as to my stock of humility; but I am "sartin sure" of my poverty. So,

Denny, old man, I have reluctantly to say that I can't come in on this effort of dear old '98. I wish I could. I expect to keep on paying those five plunks until the call to the Beyond comes.

Not being able to pay myself, I have been thinking how I can get somebody else to do it for me. Some of you fellows must be making a nice tidy sum each year; and I have wondered if anyone of you would feel like adding five dollars to his share in the Loyalty Fund for the next three years. If he would do that, then I should feel better about it all. If there are any millionaires or near-millionaires in the class, just suggest this way to them and they may do it—you never can tell.

However, I am doing my bit to make this college a kind of Brown in extenso, and am more or less successful. We will graduate two young doctors next June who will join the army of attack on the great amount of filth and disease that is eating the life out of this country. We have some preachers who are going after the moral and spiritual wickedness in the land;

and a fine bunch of teachers who are pressing back the frontier of ignorance and superstition. So we are doing a little for God and China. It's great work, Denny.

Say, I am still living on the memory of those two days spent with the class in 1923. I don't think you fellows knew how much it meant to me to meet you all and shake your hands and loaf around the Hummocks with you. I never realized how

much I admired my classmates until that reunion. I won't be back in 1928, but it God continues to be good to me, I'll turn up in 1933.

Good bye, Denny, and God bless you.

As ever,

Joe Taylor

West China Union University,
Chengtu, Feb. 22, 1926.

The Liber Brunensis

Professor M. C. Weir in the Brown Daily Herald

LIBER BRUNENSIS, 1926, is out. It is a small book, as such books go, displaying a sane economy both in its dimensions and its turn of phrase. The frump who growls about a big book being a big nuisance may take away one of these without fear of the plague. The curious can run through it within an hour, while those who own space within its covers have little difficulty in locating their territory.

The book is dedicated to Benjamin Crocker Clough, Ph. D., Scholar, Critic, Friend. And the editors, having thus declared themselves, show remarkable consistency throughout the volume. No one decries scholarship, no one brings the critic to judgment, and the friend is unembarrassed to the end; which is more than some of us can say about books of this sort. Much if not all of the stuff that makes them monuments of youthful naivete is omitted. In fact, the whole is so direct that it reads almost like a military roster. The history of the class of 1926 is modest enough to suggest irony, while the Senior biographies are almost laconic and escape the blare of horns and the clank of cymbals that herald the break from academic shelter and seclusion.

The cuts of the individual are somewhat disappointing. They seem well enough done, but they give the impression of concealing rather than revealing character. This, however, is a matter for photogra-

phers to settle, and doubtless the jury would acquit this list of any inaccuracy or irregularity. Still, almost any member of the class, in the after years, showing the book to his grandson, would be within the realm of poetic truth if he denied that he ever resembled his likeness. The group pictures are naturally much better.

Campus vistas show the march of the hours and the rotation of the seasons. Perhaps there is a little too much of the air of solitude haunting the place. The patient Roman waits alone for the passing of winter while philosopher and disciple alike shun the seclusion of Manning porch.

Book 3 announces the fraternities in the manner of chivalry, and the entire procession, headed by the Interfraternity Governing Board, and closed by Pi Kappa, is as orderly and elegant as a queen might desire.

Book 4, devoted to athletics, is of particular interest; the pictures of the new plant are fine. Freshman Sports open with a satiric note in the manner of Kipling. The theme, however, is not developed, but dropped for something more appropriate to the place and the hour. Book 5, devoted to non-athletic activities, shows a breadth of view and variety of interest. The canny old alumnus at the close is a fitting usher to introduce the class to the unknown and the untried.

News of the Clubs

By Alfred H. Gurney '07, Alumni Secretary

NEW YORK

WHEN the Brown University Club in New York held its annual meeting at the club house, May 20, the largest number of members in the history of such meetings was present. It was a tribute to Brenton G. Smith '11 to re-elect him President. Smith has done a great work in building up the Club in the last year, and has had splendid support on all sides. These officers will serve with him: Vice President—Harold O. Barker '11; Secretary—Walter R. Bullock '02; Treasurer—John R. Leeming, Jr., '18.

The Board of Governors is now constituted: Class of 1927—W. R. Dorman '92, Alexander Graham '06, W. S. Richardson '94, Thomas C. Watson, Jr., '19; Class of 1928—David L. Lutz '98, Hugh W. MacNair '17, Fred. W. Murphy '99, L. B. Savacool '14; Class of 1929—T. B. Appleget '17, Philip Lukin '24, A. B. Meacham '96, Walter C. Wyckoff '95.

After the business was over, Joe Nutter '24, assistant to Dr. Marvel, and in charge of athletic publicity, gave a straightforward and informative talk about conditions and news on the Hill.

Incidentally, the June issue of the Brown Club News told of the visit of Dr. Marvel and Coach McLaughry on May 27, mentioned the new flag given the Club by Sydney Wilmot '09 and David Hischer '21 and extended a cordial invitation to the graduates of 1926 to join the Club "if you live in or near New York, expect to make frequent visits to New York, or expect to work in New York."

ROCHESTER

Rev. Dr. Cornelius S. Savage '78 was elected President of the Brown Club of Rochester at the annual meeting held June

3, last. The other officers who will assist Dr. Savage during the present year are: Vice President—Earle B. Cross '05; Secretary—E. W. Holmes '03; Treasurer—Edward I. Cristy '16. The new members of the Executive Committee are Alfred C. Hawkins '16 and Lawrence Gardner '11.

At the lunch which preceded the meeting T. B. Akeley '23, studying at Rochester Theological Seminary, attended for the first time. Others on hand were Barbour '91, Cristy '16, Cross '05, A. C. Hawkins '16, Holmes '03, Isaac '04, Savage '78 and W. K. White '07.

PITTSBURGH

It was with genuine regret that the Alumni Secretary was unable to accept the invitation of the Brown Club of Pittsburgh to be present at its annual meeting on June 1. But there was too much to do at the Alumni Office to get away at the time, and the Secretary wrote Leon F. Payne '07 that, if all went well, Pittsburgh would be on the visiting list next fall.

Eleven alumni out of a possible twenty active members responded to their names at the meeting at the University Club and their choices for officers were: President—Judson A. Crane '05; Secretary-Treasurer—Irrving S. Crompton '20.

FALL RIVER

After being quiescent for a year and more, the Brown Club of Fall River came splendidly to life on May 19 with a dinner and annual gathering at the Fall River Country Club. Dr. A. D. Mead, Vice President of the University, the Alumni Secretary, Dr. F. W. Marvel and D. O. McLaughry, head coach of the football team, were the speakers, and Henry W.

Shay '09 did the introducing. A delightful job Henry made of it, too, creating a fine atmosphere and smoothing the way neatly by his friendly words. Dr. Mead was quite in his best vein in his talk on the college situation, the Alumni Secretary didn't speak as long as he usually does, and Dr. Marvel gracefully stepped aside, after a few remarks, for McLaughry. It was the first time that we had heard the newcomer. He admits that he isn't a speaker, but he has a determined way about him that appeals. As an undergraduate would say, "he knows his stuff," and there is little doubt of it after you have once seen him and listened to him. He spoke well of football (as a coach should) and extremely well of Ed Robinson (which was appreciated) and discussed briefly his material at present.

Henry Shay expressed the sentiment of

the Club, and of most alumni for that matter, when he told McLaughry that the Brown men in Fall River were for him and with him and would do what they could to encourage him in his new work. The Club also passed unanimously a vote to extend to Dr. Carl Barus its appreciation of the faithful and constructive service given Brown by Dr. Barus for so many years. It adopted resolutions on the deaths of Edward A. Thurston '93, Simeon Borden '82, Leontine Lincoln '89h, Dr. Charles W. Connell '83 and George F. Pope '92h; and elected these officers for the next year: President—Preston H. Hood '12; Vice President—Guilford C. Hathaway '09; Secretary—A. F. Williston '16; Treasurer—James L. Cummings '14; Executive Committee—J. T. C. McGuire '12, Samuel R. Parks '11 and Warren F. Sanford '24.

The University Chronicle

ASSISTANT MANAGERS

At a recent meeting of the Athletic Association Board, twelve participants in the Sophomore managerial competition conducted during the past academic year were elected assistant managers of 'Varsity sports for next year, as follows. This means that they will be the managers the succeeding year.

J. R. Hinchcliffe, football; Geo. Lysle, baseball; E. W. Saunders, track; R. E. Evans, swimming; J. P. Howell, basketball; R. F. Berwald, hockey; J. E. Brennan, wrestling; Paul Bonyngé, tennis; J. P. Eddy, 3rd, lacrosse; W. T. Littlehales, cross country; D. D'Alessandro, soccer; F. J. Wilson, Freshman football.

In electing managers for cross country, soccer, lacrosse and hockey, the Athletic Association has established a new precedent. Cross country has previously been managed by the track manager, while soccer, lacrosse and hockey are new sports at

Brown. Assistant managers elected to these sports will act as managers.

BROWN BASEBALL, 1926

April 10—Providence League, 0-7.
 April 14—Providence League, 1-6.
 April 17—Amherst, 12-5.
 April 21—Connecticut State, 10-7.
 April 23—Pennsylvania, 2-9.
 April 28—Maine, 3-0.
 May 1—Williams at Williamstown, 7-3.
 May 5—Dartmouth at Hanover, 1-7.
 May 8—Yale, 4-17.
 May 12—New Hampshire State, 2-8.
 May 15—Providence College, 2-0.
 May 19—Rhode Island State, 2-3.
 May 22—Providence College, 5-6.
 May 26—Williams, 5-1.
 May 29—Dartmouth, 3-1.
 May 31—Harvard, 5-7.
 June 5—Bates, 0-1.
 June 12—Harvard at Cambridge, 2-3.
 June 16—Vermont, 0-3.

SPHINX CLUB

At the annual dinner and initiation of the Sphinx Club held at Brennan's Campus Shoppe, the following officers were elected for the year 1926-1927: Professor Benjamin C. Clough president, F. M. Flint '27 vice president, Duncan Fraser '28 secretary, F. B. Wiener '27 treasurer, R. C. Gurney '28 steward.

The principal speaker of the evening was Sir John Adams, English man of letters, and professor emeritus of the University of London, who gave an interesting and stimulating address on "The Mechanism of Ideas."

ELECTIONS TO THE SPHINX

1927: R. W. Buckley, K. G. Burton, M. H. Hilton, G. C. Hudson, H. E. Husker, A. L. Lawrence, E. T. Richards.

1928: Duncan Fraser, E. M. Grout, R. C. Gurney, P. R. McIntyre, F. K. Singer.

Faculty: Professor E. C. Kirkland, Professor C. W. Miller, Professor R. M. Mitchell, R. B. McDougall.

ATHLETIC NUMERALS

The following men were awarded major B's in 'Varsity track late in the academic year: G. H. Needham (Capt.), R. C. Farrow, J. H. Hunt, N. R. Underdown, C. J. O'Brien, H. R. Meyers, R. N. Conger, W. B. Widnall (Mgr.).

The following men were awarded minor B's for lacrosse, this being the first year of the sport at Brown: C. E. Conklin (Capt.), F. H. Rohlf, R. J. Payor, W. J. Turtle, W. H. Stephens, F. A. Eisenberg, J. Weedon, H. Hargrove, H. W. Bullard, E. Pflugi, G. E. Spofford, G. N. Fessenden, H. S. Drury, J. H. Degenhardt, C. W. Provonchee.

The following men were awarded minor B's in 'Varsity tennis: W. Wright (Capt.), J. J. Marinsky, H. J. Remington, P. J. O'Brien, H. L. Swan, R. R. Crosby (Mgr.).

The following men were awarded numerals in Freshman track: W. J. Parish (Capt.), C. C. Parsons, J. S. Collier, L. R. Zocco, W. S. Thefethen, T. R. Gardner, J. H. Pearson, M. Sharp, A. F. Magill, P. T. Maker, L. Farber, W. A. Carney, H. Cornsweet, W. H. Schinnerer.

The Freshman track team was the only team to finish the season without a defeat.

The following men were awarded numerals in Freshman tennis: F. J. Smythe (Capt.), H. W. Horton, S. O. Dexter, E. B. Wetzel, A. P. Thomas, H. R. Rich.

BROWN SWIMMING RECORDS

Looking back on the swimming season, it is interesting to see the changes made in existing records by the Brown team. The most important were made by Mark Coles and the relay men. Coles bettered the Wesleyan 60-foot pool mark and the New England record in the 40-yard dash, setting the new mark at 19 1-5 and then clipped this time one-tenth of a second in the New England intercollegiates in the same pool. Puschin of M. I. T. smashed R. E. Barnes's Brown pool record in the Brown tank by swimming the 200-yard breast in 2:58 2-5. George R. Merchant, a Sophomore, set a new pool record at Wesleyan by swimming the 150-yard back stroke in 1:56 4-5 and then set a Brown pool record of 1:58 2-5. The relay team, swimming against Boston University, shattered the New England 200-yard relay mark in 1:40 2-5, while R. E. Barnes set a 100-yard breast stroke mark for Brown of 1:20 4-5.

1929 VIGILANCE COMMITTEE

This year's Sophomore Vigilance Committee has been unusually active in keeping arrogant Freshmen in their places. Although it has operated silently and swiftly, not a few members of the present Freshman class can testify as to its power and judgment. Next year's committee promises to be as forceful and rapid in meting

out punishments to the class of 1930.

Those who have been elected from 1929 to the Vigilance Committee for the coming year are: A. P. Thomas, Delta Tau Delta; B. G. Romero, Phi Delta Theta; W. S. Trefethen, Alpha Delta Phi; D. W. Searles, Delta Kappa Epsilon; S. B. Larkin, Zeta Psi; R. B. Sincere, Sigma Chi; F. H. Geisler, Delta Upsilon; H. J. O'Hare, Kappa Sigma; G. V. Treyz, Everett Eynon, Psi Upsilon; L. R. Zocca, Phi Kappa; R. D. Allison, Phi Sigma Kappa; W. L. Dillworth, Sigma Nu; J. P. Child, Theta Delta Chi; D. H. Borden, Delta Phi; T. Seidentof, Lambda Chi Alpha; N. T. Wright, Phi Kappa Psi; V. J. Ware, Beta Theta Pi; D. S. Badgett, Alpha Tau Omega, and A. F. Magill, E. H. Wood, G. W. Rawlings and A. C. Cornsweet, non-fraternity men.

BROWN IN CHINA

For some years before the recent disturbances in China, Brown University was assisting in the support of a teacher at Shanghai College. Professor D. H. Kulp, Brown '13, was there for some years and established a social settlement. Subsequently Professor Dealey spent the greater part of a winter at the college, and Professor Bucklin spent one entire year there.

The president of the college, Dr. J. F. White, in his annual report for the year 1925, writes as follows: "The things which have loomed largest on the horizon during the past year have been the almost constant civil war in China, the great spectre of Bolshevism, and the anti-Christian movement. This movement has embarrassed our work to some extent and will probably arouse still greater antagonism in the future. On the other hand, it has thus far failed in its greatest objective.

The college has never had a better year. While there were 30 less students than last year, out of a total of 700, there is a larger and better balanced enrollment in the four college classes. Whether they wish or not, Chinese Christians must now assume

responsibility for the propagation of Christianity, if it is to make a real appeal as an indigenous, and not a foreign, religion to the consciousness of the Chinese people."

EAST GREENWICH BRUNONIANS

Following is a list of East Greenwich Brown men and women—undergraduates, graduates and non-graduates:

Howard L. Andrews 1927, Frank H. Arnold 1901, Ernest W. Crawley 1901, Willard B. Crawley 1928, C. C. Gleason 1903, William C. Huntoon 1894, J. W. S. Lillibridge 1904, Louis M. Lincoln 1894, Irving O. Miner 1927, John D. Miner 1891, R. W. Miner 1921, Wilfred Miner 1926, John S. Shippee 1894, George H. Spencer 1912, George L. Spencer 1904, Paul Spencer 1926, Grace A. Barber 1905, Olive F. Briggs 1922, Mrs. Alexander Morrisson 1897.

WATERHOUSE OF BROWN

Editor Brown Alumni Monthly:

In the Fifth International Congress of Medical History held in Geneva, you may be interested to learn that Dr. J. W. Courtney of Boston read a very excellent paper on "Benjamin Waterhouse, American Pioneer."

Waterhouse served on the Faculty of Brown (then Rhode Island College) from 1784 to 1791 as Professor of Natural History. He was the fourth member of the Faculty, and from 1782 to 1795 served on the Board of Fellows.

He not only taught his classes, but in 1785 and 1786 (according to Dr. Courtney) or in 1786 and 1787 (according to Professor Bronson) gave two courses of public lectures in University Hall—which lectures, he pointed out, were "the first of their kind in the new world." Later he gave apparently the same course of lectures for twenty years at Harvard, for in the John Carter Brown Library there is an undated Syllabus of the lectures at Brown and Harvard.

Jenner's first vaccination was done on May 14, 1796, on James Phipps, a boy eight years of age. As soon as Waterhouse received authentic information of the value of vaccination he obtained some of the vaccine matter from London and vaccinated his own son, a boy five years old.

Waterhouse, John Warren and Aaron Dexter in 1782-83 founded the Harvard Medical School.

Waterhouse was a nephew of the celebrated Dr. John Fothergill of London, whose name appears on our roll as one of the early benefactors of the College through Morgan Edwards, then in England soliciting funds for the young institution.

Very truly yours,

W. W. Keen '59

Philadelphia, Pa., June 8, 1926.

NOTES OF THE MONTH

Jeremy F. Bagster Collins '27 has been elected president of Sock and Buskin for next year.

The year's record of the University Infirmary shows that it has been exceedingly busy and at times has been filled to capacity.

The Freshman pajama parade and bonfire, on the evening of May 29, passed off without a hitch or a row with the police. A large crowd of spectators watched the fun on Lincoln Field.

Three of our 'Varsity baseball pitchers have graduated in the class of '26—Quill, Danzell and Saart, leaving only McGeeney '27 as a seasoned veteran. But Rawlings, Billings and Rockefeller of the '29 Freshman team will be available next spring on the 'Varsity nine.

Dr. Frederick G. Keyes, director of the research laboratory of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, will become consulting professor of physics at Brown next fall. He will be here one day each week and with Professor A. DeF. Palmer will have general oversight of the Department of Physics.

The Cammarian Club has chosen Thomas A. Magee of Bogota, N. J., president. He was class president in his Freshman year, chairman of the Sophomore vigilance committee and Sophomore ball committee and is a member of the 'Varsity football squad. He belongs to Sigma Chi and Pi Kappa.

Vesper services will be held in Sayles Hall next year. Invitations to preach have been accepted already by Rev. Dr. C. F. Aked of the First Congregational Church of Kansas City, President C. A. Barbour '88 of the Rochester Theological Seminary, Dean Charles R. Brown of the Yale Divinity School and Dr. Hugh Black of the Union Theological Seminary of New York.

Brunonians Far and Near

Alumni

1855

Rev. William J. Batt, our oldest living graduate, read in the Boston papers that President Faunce preached the baccalaureate sermon at Newton Theological Institution on Sunday, June 6, and at once wrote Dr. Faunce that this news encouraged the hope that the President might be "the preacher on the 13th" (which he was). "I wish you might know," Dr. Batt added, "that the Senior Alumnus of Brown

will be among those that are praying for the divine blessing upon the message, although not present in the city on that day."

1862

Dr. John T. Blake, writing from Klerksdorp, Transvaal, South Africa, says: "I shall be 85 years old Dec. 1, next, and am still in good health—most people take me to be about 65. . . . It seems strange to think of the old places in Providence all built over now—the places where we used to ramble as boys, out Elmwood and Mash-

apauḡ pond way—Sky High hill now houses and streets—the Pawtuxet road—the old cove disappeared. Whenever I think of Providence I still see it as in the old days—I don't even see it as it was when I was last there in 1908." Dr. Blake, retired now, practiced in Zeerush, South Africa, thirty years. He says that he has no desire to return to these parts because he doesn't like cold weather and also because he would miss the blue skies of his adopted country.

1870

Rev. Thomas G. Field, D. D., died in Elyria, O., May 24, 1926, eighty-three years old. Like several of his classmates, Andrews, Arthur, Dutton, Fish and others, he left the preparatory school to take part as a corporal in the Civil War. He could write a copper plate hand and was soon taken into the War Department office. He took a year to review his studies before entering Brown in 1866. In his college society—Delta Upsilon—he was a great debater. In his senior year he was Superintendent of the Fourth Baptist Sunday School, Providence. From 1873 to 1887 he was pastor of churches in Alton, Ill., Winona and Minneapolis, Minn., and after 1887 was district secretary of the American Baptist Missionary Union for the Northwest and Middle Districts. The last thirteen years of his life he lived at Granville, O., where he was a trustee of Denison University. He was a pleasant, lovable, witty man. He came to our class suppers often, and his classmates will miss him.

Albert G. Fisher died in Melrose, Mass., June 5, 1926. He had been an invalid for a year or two and died quietly sitting in his chair before his books—in the same chair in which, a few months before, Professor John M. English '70 and W. T. Peck '70, in company with and by the kindness of Fred H. Williams '77, saw him and brought him cheer. Professor Wilfred H. Munro of the class alone was able to attend his funeral. In college Fisher was popular. He was a high school principal for twenty years in Provincetown, Marlboro and Arlington, Mass. Then he had one of the most successful teachers' agencies in New England. He is survived by no relatives, but in the last lonely years he had been cheered and cared for by Mr.

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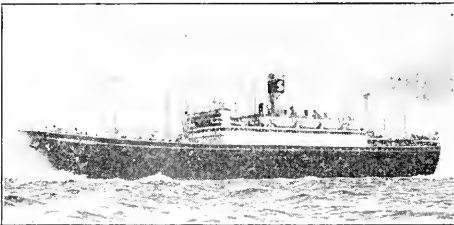
1874

Rev. Dr. O. P. Gifford gave the address at the organ dedication concert presented recently by the Fine Arts Club, First Baptist Church, Pasadena, Calif. Dr. Gifford also spoke on "The Problem of Education" during Public Schools Week in Pasadena and was a leading speaker at the last Student Conference held at Redlands under the auspices of the Southern California Baptist Convention.

1876

Rev. Dr. George E. Horr, president emeritus of Newton Theological Institution, and Mrs. Horr have returned to Newton Center, Mass., after having spent five months in Mentone, France.

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Dr. Henry A. Whitmarsh's daughter, Miss Martha Sprague Whitmarsh, was married in Providence on June 12 to Edgar Bronson Tolman, Jr., of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Tolman will make their home in Chicago.

1877

Dr. Dryden W. Phelps is back East again after having spent the winter in San Diego, Calif. His address until next fall will be 548 Orange st., New Haven, Conn.

It is with sorrow that we record the death of Joseph D. Milne, newspaper man and "gentleman of the old school," who passed away in Fall River, Mass., June 8, 1926. He went into newspaper work as soon as he was graduated and for the rest of his life he wrote for the paper of his father—later his own in part—the Fall River Evening News. He was successively reporter, city editor and managing editor. He became an owner of the News in 1913. The connection of the Milnes, father and son, with the News covered a period of some eighty years. The younger Milne was also active in business circles in Fall River and prominent in the Fall River Historical Society and other organizations. The chronological facts of his life are that he was born in Fall River, Oct. 1, 1855, the son of John Cruickshank and Abby Ann (Gifford) Milne. He prepared for college at Phillips Exeter and Mowry & Goff's School. He was married Nov. 19, 1885, to Miss Georgie Attmore Wright, who survives him, together with a son, John C. Milne, 2nd, and a daughter, Mrs. Roland H. Ballou. He was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon. His own paper—or rather the one in which he sold his interest a short time before he died—spoke truly of him when it said editorially: "He was true to his ideals, which were high. He viewed with uneasiness, but never lost his optimism in the viewing, some of the unpleasant trends of present day life. He had faith in his fellows. 'I believe most people mean to do the right thing,' was part of his quiet philosophy. . . . He passes, as he lived, quietly, without ostentation, as he would have wished, having fought the good fight, having kept the faith."

1879

Dr. James Lee Wells's present address is Beacon Chambers, 19 Myrtle st., Boston, Mass.

A tablet paying tribute to Dr. Arthur H. Harrington, Superintendent, has been placed on the new pipe organ dedicated last month at the State Hospital for Mental Diseases, Howard, R. I. "Small wonder they placed that tablet on the organ," said an editorial in the Providence Evening Bulletin. "They might well place another over the entrance to the Hospital for Mental Diseases, for that institution (grossly imperfect though it still is) stands to-day as a monument, not to the State of Rhode Island nor to the Public Welfare Commission, but to Dr. Arthur H. Harrington, who has carried bravely on under circumstances that would have caused most men long since to have thrown up their hands in defeat."

1884

Arthur Younger Ford, President of the University of Louisville, died suddenly in Louisville, Ky., June 8, 1926. He was newspaper editor, business man, tax expert before he became head of the University of Louisville in 1922 and turned his energies to building up this municipal institution into a real factor for higher education in the city and the State. Alma Mater gave him the honorary degree of A. M. in 1923 and his own University conferred an LL.D. upon him in the same year. He was married June 3, 1887, to Miss Esther A. Brown, who survives him, together with two sons, Emmet and Salem Ford, and a daughter, Miss Margaret Ford. He was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Beta Theta Pi. President Faunce cited him thus at Commencement three years ago: "A leader in both the financial and the educational life of the State of Kentucky, achieving business success without loss of ideals, now President of the University of Louisville and director in all the higher life of that advancing city."

1887

Joseph Cooke Smith has given the Brown Club of New York a radio set of the latest model—a six-tube Radiola combined in a console cabinet with the new Orthophonic Victrola, as we read in the Brown Club News. "Day and night, from the arrival

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1888

The bulletin of the School Department of Providence recently paid high tribute to Charles E. Dennis, who has been obliged to resign as principal of the Hope Street High School because of continued ill health. "Dr. Dennis," said the Bulletin, "was a most painstaking and thorough scholar and teacher. . . . This thoroughness and attention to detail was noticeable in all his work as teacher and principal, and he took much pride in the thorough preparation of graduates." There was also mention of Dr. Dennis's efforts to secure a play field for his school, with the conclusion: "For generations to come the boys and girls on the East Side will have occasion to keep him in kindly remembrance for his work in acquiring this playground for them."

1890

Yale University conferred, last month, the degree of master of arts on Professor Charles Henry Forbes, teacher of Latin for the last generation at Andover Academy.

1893

The new address of Rev. W. E. Chalmers is 312 Hathaway Lane, Merwood, Upper Darby, Pa. The same address also holds good for Paul M. Chalmers '22, Gordon K. Chalmers '25 and William E. Chalmers '25.

Colonel Archibald C. Matteson was Chief Marshal for the dedicatory exercises of the Reeves Memorial Fountain in Roger Williams Park, Providence, last month. Among his aides were J. D. E. Jones '93, T. F. I. McDonnell '91, Abbott Phillips '02, Henry G. Clark '07, Ira Lloyd Letts '13 and Maurice A. Wolf '14. The fountain honors "Wallie" Reeves, leader of the American Band, composer of the famous Second Regiment March and a familiar figure at the head of our Commencement processions for many years.

1895

Associate Justice Chester W. Barrows of the Rhode Island Supreme Court was elected chairman of the newly-formed Cranston, R. I., Community Council at the organization of the Council last month.

1896

The Cross of the Legion of Honor has been conferred by the French Government upon Arthur Deerin Call in recognition of Mr. Call's work as director of the 23rd Conference of the Interparliamentary Union held in Washington last fall.

Albert R. Nichols, for some years secretary to William E. Foster '73, librarian of the Providence Public Library, resigned in May to become librarian of the Public Library, Hammond, Ind., and has now begun his duties in the Indiana city.

1898

George H. Sherwood, acting director of the American Museum of Natural History, New York, had the privilege of showing Crown Prince Gustaf Adolf of Sweden through the Museum when the Crown Prince visited New York last month.

Franklin K. Taft's new business address is 256 Church st., New York.

1900

Joseph T. Cashman was the author of a series of articles that the New York Commercial published during May on the dangers of radicalism in this country. Mr. Cashman is also broadcasting his message against Communism through Station WHAP, New York.

1902

Wesley A. Paige has changed his address from 221 Linwood ave. to 41 Moore st., Providence.

Earl N. Manchester, Director of Libraries, University of Kansas, had an article in a recent issue of the Kansas Graduates Magazine describing the new Watson Library at Kansas.

Fred H. Gabbi represented Brown at the inauguration of Dr. Harold S. Boardman as President of the University of Maine at Orono on June 12.

1903

Professor William T. Hastings of the University faculty, together with Mrs. Hastings and the children, sailed last month for England on sabbatic leave. Hastings will return in September to teach one semester and will then rejoin his family, probably at Oxford.

A pleasant note from Arthur H. Scott not long ago told us that Scott is still in Atlanta, Ga., as meteorologist with the U. S. Weather Bureau and doing his best to please Atlantans with his choicest brands of weather.

1906

Joseph L. Wheeler has begun his work as librarian of the Enoch Pratt Free Library, Baltimore, Md. "In the choice of Mr. Wheeler," said Dr. M. L. Rainey, librarian of the Johns Hopkins University, "the trustees have made one of the finest selections in the whole American library field." There was genuine regret in Youngstown, O., when Joe announced that he was leaving to go to Baltimore. "We realize," said the trustees of the public library in accepting his resignation, "the loss this library sustains and the great loss suffered by the reading public in Youngstown in parting with his services. The ten years that he has occupied the position as Librarian of the Reuben McMillan Free Library Association have seen a progress and development in the library services rendered to the public of Youngstown both in the tremendously increased distribution of books, the establishment of branch libraries, and the efficient administration of the library itself, which has gone beyond anything we could have reasonably hoped to accomplish or predict."

Rhys Powell has been re-elected Superintendent of Schools in Scranton, a position which he has occupied for some years. The Scranton Republican, in an editorial on Rhys, said: "His parentage, associations, training and experience are so closely interwoven with our own city, he is in blood and sinew so truly of Scranton that his complete understanding of the community's educational and civic needs stands the school system in good stead. . . . A vigorous, hard-working, affable Superintendent of Schools. A force in the community. The school system is to be con-

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Rev. C. Raymond Chappell, who has been pastor of the Baptist Church, Middleboro, Mass., since 1919, has accepted a call to the Baptist church in Keene, N. H., of which Rev. W. D. Swaffield was pastor before him.

1907

Mark F. Coles, winner of the Class of 1907 Scholarship this year, was the guest of members of the class at a lunch held at the University Club, Providence, on June 3. Among those present were Hurley, Branch, Harold Miller, Eddy, Shan Clark, Schwartz, Cummings and Gurney.

Charles R. Stark, Jr., president of the Brown Club of Washington, entertained a party of his fellow Brunonians at his new home, 2900 44th place, N. W., Washington, D. C., on Class Night, June 14. Mrs. Stark, Women's College '08, was a delightful hostess.

Charles Fowler, Jr., came all the way from Galveston, Tex., to attend the class dinner on June 15. This is the first time that Charlie has been able to be on deck for a class affair since 1910, and it certainly was a pleasure to see him and talk with him.

A. H. Gurney, Alumni Secretary, sailed for France on July 3 for a six weeks' vacation. He will join Mrs. Gurney in Paris and show her some of the places where he helped win the war in 1918-19.

1908

Charlie Perry, after being listed as temporarily missing, has turned up cheerful and smiling in California—Hollywood, to be exact, where he is secretary-treasurer of The Stillfilm Co. His home is at 744 No. Ridgewood Place, Los Angeles.

Nate Sternseher is one of the active Brunonians in Fall River, where he is practicing law. Nate told us not long ago that he felt as young as he did when he was an undergraduate. And his looks did not belie him, either.

1909

John Wells, a Vice President of the Rhode Island Hospital Trust Company,

was elected President of the Rhode Island Bankers Association on May 19th.

Herb Sherwood, our perpetual reunion chairman, was abroad for some weeks last spring.

The class had a clambake on May 27th at George Huxford's. A bang up time was enjoyed by all. The bake itself was a dandy. Those present were: Bugbee, Turner, Curtis, Campbell, Hager, Dodge, Wheeler, Littlefield, Huxford, Champlin, Wells, Leach, Henderson, Buss, Hollen, Willemin, Poland, Connell, Connolly, Chafee.

Bill Connell, whose address is 343 Broadway, Pawtucket, recently passed the Rhode Island bar examination and is now a full fledged practicing attorney. He was tendered a testimonial dinner on May 16th at the Pawtucket Golf Club. Among the speakers were prominent lawyers and members of the judiciary of Rhode Island, including Jim Connolly, City Solicitor of Pawtucket. The Pawtucket Times gave Bill a grand write-up with his picture in the issue of May 17th. Despite his honors, the same good fellow Bill attended the class clambake.

Bob Bennett has resigned his position as Superintendent of Schools at Central Falls, R. I., and has been appointed Principal of the new Laurel Hill Grammar School in Providence, to take effect in the fall. The Pawtucket Times of May 27th wrote a fine editorial tribute to the good work accomplished by Bob at Central Falls, and expressed the appreciation of all Central Falls residents and their regret at his departure.

Harper Goodspeed will be East this summer as lecturer at the University of Chicago Summer School. In the middle of August he will also attend the meetings of the International Congress of Plant Sciences in Ithica, N. Y. Harper is professor of Botany at the University of California.

1909 had no general week-end reunion this year as it was felt that Jamestown should not be worked too hard lest it become an old story and not a possibility for our twentieth reunion. At least two par-

ties at South County lodges were organized and the class met on Tuesday at the Rhode Island Country Club for golf and dinner. Among those present during the general reunion were Messrs. Buss, Wheeler, A. M., Chace, Connell, Budlong, Poland, Connolly, Chafee, Whitmarsh, Meader, Wells, Cameron, Seabury, Tanner, Bugbee, Sykes, Leach, Hollen, Henderson, Champlin, Buffum, D. Jackson, Chambers, Wightman, Curtis, Willemmin, Butterworth, H. F. Smith, Dan Harrigan, Jim Mercer, Pop Kirley, Littlefield, Huxford, George Babcock, Clarence Johnson and W. E. Goodwin.

Louis A. McCoy, a teacher in English High School in Boston, has been appointed an examiner for the College Entrance Board.

Tink Chandler, whose address is care of Price Brothers Co., 1012 Harries Bldg., Dayton, Ohio, is engaged on a rush construction job of a hydro-electric plant at Ada, Michigan.

A post card from Ralph B. Parker from Wells, Maine, indicates that he is still at the old stand and would be glad to see any '09 boys passing through this summer.

Joe Church, Captain U. S. A., is located at Camp Devens, Mass.

John B. Westcott ex-'09 became associated with Eldredge & Co., 14 Wall st., New York city, February 1st and is in charge of their Department of Railroad and Corporation Bonds.

Frank Wightman is in charge of Inspection of Motive Power, Readville Shops of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Company. His address is 520 Centre st., Jamaica Plain, Mass.

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Drs. Edward H. Mason and Howard H. Mason, speaking before the Association of American Physicians at Atlantic City, N. J., last month, reported experiments to furnish "physiological proof that the hu-

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1911

Wendell R. Swint has been promoted to European manager of the E. I. duPont de Nemours Co., but his office remains as formerly—at 54 New Broad st., London, E. C.

Clarence Maxson wins the prize for coming farthest to the 15th Reunion of the class. Clarence drove most of the way from Lakeland, Fla. (Mrs. Maxson took turns with him at the wheel), and drove back after the reunion—a total distance of 1800 miles. He's in the motor car business down in Lakeland, and he likes it. Moreover, it agrees with him, as he looks as young as he did—well, say the last time we saw him a few years ago.

1913

George Boas of the Department of Philosophy, the Johns Hopkins University, was the author of a lively piece of satire that appeared in Harper's for June under the title, "The Professor Dines Out." Our hat is off to George, with the hope that he will give us more articles like it.

Fred Wilke, who has been studying medicine at the University of Virginia, completed his work there last month and after six months of special duty at Piedmont Sanatorium will go to St. Luke's, New York. Fred's ambition has been to become a doctor and we admire the determination with which he is fulfilling it.

B. Malcolm Harris has resigned as minister of the First Unitarian Church, Albany, N. Y., and will study law at Yale. His new address is 177 Ridgewood ave., Spring Glen, New Haven, Conn.

John T. Walker, Jr., has shifted his base from Chicago to Philadelphia, where he is now hard at work in the offices of the Farm Journal, Washington square. They will miss John in Chicago, in which city he did a splendid work for Brown.

1914

The Los Angeles Times, in a recent plea for an art centre in Los Angeles, pointed to San Diego as a vivid example of a city

which "is building its art collection intelligently. . . In Reginald Poland it made an excellent choice for director of the gallery. For years a student of art and art appreciation, holder of degrees from Brown, Princeton, Harvard, a Fellow of the American Academy in Rome, director of the Denver Art Association and educational director of the Detroit Institute, where he was intimately associated with the great Valentiner, Poland is deeply interested in the spread of art education and admirably equipped, both in knowledge and temperament, to guide the gallery in its activities and acquisitions." A long sentence, but Poland deserves all the good thing said in it.

1915

Warren P. Norton, superintendent of schools in Sharpsville, Pa., was the University's representative at the inauguration of Dr. James Albert Beebe as President of Allegheny College.

Paul Curtis was elected First Lieutenant of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company at the annual balloting by the organization held on the Boston Common last month.

1916

Rev. George J. A. Cairns is an instructor in the Sacred Heart Seminary, Detroit, Mich., and his address is 2701 Chicago Boulevard, that city.

Jim Skane tells us that he is getting his mail now at 88 Reid ave., Passaic, N. J.

1918

Emery M. Foster and Sam Leiboff received their A. M. degrees from Columbia University last month.

Joe King tells us that he is a dyestuffs salesman for E. C. Foster, with offices at 274½ Washington st., Providence. Joe is married and has two boys in line for Brown.

Dr. H. A. Winkler recently opened an office in Providence and is specializing in the treatment of the eye, ear, nose and throat.

Burt Harrington, so we hear, has been elected Commissaire Intendant of Voiture 220, Societe des 40 Hommes and 8

Chevaux, American Legion, which holds forth in Chicago. Maybe our French is all wrong, but it sounds as if Burt is the young man who provides the food when the Voiture meets.

It is Professor Zenas R. Bliss now, Zenas having been promoted to an assistant professorship in the division of engineering on College Hill last month.

Gordon Parker is assistant investment officer with the Rhode Island Hospital Trust Co. Gordon is also handling the finances of the D. K. E. Alumni Association in Providence. N. B.—And his billiard game is improving.

J. Harold Williams, Scout Executive of the Greater Providence Council, Boy Scouts of America, will be a speaker at the fourth biennial conference of Scout Executives to be held in Hot Springs, Ark., next fall.

1919

The degree of A. M. was conferred upon

Jacob I. Cohen at the University of Buffalo Commencement exercises last month. He presented as his thesis "A Psychological Study of Community Centre Appeals." Cohen since graduation has been holding the position of Director of Activities with the Jewish Community Building, 406 Jefferson ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

Sam Temkin is now a sure-enough LL.B., having taken the degree at Georgetown Law School last month. Sam was one of the editors of the Georgetown Law Review.

1920

Tom Bernardo has been getting his name in the Brooklyn and New York newspapers of late because of his political activities in the 14th Assembly District, Kings County, Brooklyn, where he has been leading the fight to oust the Republican leader.

1921

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"The Arcturus Adventure," by William Beebe, the literary editor of the Providence Journal said: "Here and there in the group photographs looms up the amiable countenance of Charley Fish, Brown '21, who is listed as 'associate in diatoms and crustacea,' though he still looks for all the world like the star cartoonist of the Brown Jug in its early numbers. . . Charley must have been nearly the youngest member of the Arcturus expedition . . . yet one remembers his deft hand and accurate mind at work a dozen years ago in a manner that forecast this sort of engagement."

William J. Nairn has been elected director of Religious Education of the Plymouth Congregational Church, Providence, and acting superintendent of the Church School. He succeeds Rev. Frank E. Butler, who has returned to Central Congregational Church, Providence.

Paul Gipfel received his A. M. degree from Columbia University last month.

Seems pleasant to see George Ashbey back in Providence. George is with the Larchar-Horton Co., advertising.

The Alumni Office is much obliged to Alex Hindmarsh '19 for the group picture he sent us showing Ralph Standish smiling his prettiest in front of a bungalow in Barrackpore, outside of Calcutta, India. Ralph is now a member of the Calcutta staff of the International Banking Corporation.

1922

George H. Webb, Jr., John Quinn and John O'Neill were graduated from Georgetown University Law School last month with the degree of LL.B. O'Neil was in the legal division of the Comptroller General's office, Washington, while he was mastering Blackstone, Coke, et al.

Stuart H. Tucker reports that he has changed his mailing address to 174 Laurel ave., Providence.

Arthur Merewether has been re-engaged as baseball coach and also named as assistant football coach and director of hockey at Phillips Andover. Arthur certainly has made a hit with the boys, as well as with the authorities at Andover, and we con-

gratulate him and wish him all the success in the world in his work.

1923

Burton McCumber, who is with the American Gas Accumulator Co., Elizabeth, N. J., writes that he is now living at 153 Milford ave., Newark, N. J. Burt is in an apartment with several other college men and he says that the arrangement "as a money saver cannot be beat, and it is just the thing for a fellow leaving college and starting out on the salaries I know are necessary to live on."

Arthur F. McKenny received the degree of B. D. from Yale Divinity School last month.

George Leddy and Larry McCarthy are LL.B.'s now, having had the degree conferred on them at Georgetown University Law School last month. Larry was one of the Senior marshals at the Commencement exercises.

1924

Malcolm Jenckes received the degree of ScM., with distinction, at Massachusetts Institute of Technology last month. Maybe Malcolm will write us a line to tell us what he is going to do now that he has two degrees after his name.

H. D. Lamson will become a member of the faculty of Shanghai College, Shanghai, China, next fall. Herb will sail in August, go to Nanking to study Chinese at the language school there for a month, and then will take up his duties at the college.

The Kimball Bird Sanctuary on Wauchaug Pond, near Westerly, R. I., which was established by a bequest of the late Walter H. Kimball, is being gradually developed by the Audubon Society of Rhode Island. Trails are being cut through the woods on the property, the bungalow that was formerly Mr. Kimball's summer home has been painted, and a hundred nesting boxes provided for birds. There are many Brunonianians affiliated with the society in making the Sanctuary the effective bird haven that Mr. Kimball wanted it to become.

1925

Jim Gorton was an Alumni Office visitor last month with the admission that he

is still in the real estate business in White Plains, N. Y., and that during the last year he has seen something of Florida, Chicago and points adjacent.

Joe Glass is certain that his daughter, Lila Frances, born Nov. 21, 1925, is the "class baby." As Joe was married while he was an undergraduate he got the jump on the rest of us. But it looks as if his claim would stand, even though we regret Miss Lila won't be able to come to College Hill with the class of 1946 or thereabouts. Joe is studying law at Brooklyn Law School, St. Lawrence University, and working in the law department of the Home Title Insurance Co.

Alumnae

1903

Jessie M. Barbour received the degree of A. M. in education from Columbia University last month.

1920

Bernice Sylvester, teacher of history in the Brockton, Mass., High School, has been chosen President of the Brockton College Club for the ensuing year.

1921

Lucile Crapo is now an A. M., having won that degree last month at Columbia University, where she has been specializing in education.

WEDDINGS

1893—Dr. Alexander Meiklejohn and Miss Helen Everett, daughter of Professor Walter G. Everett '85, were married in the Old South Church, Boston, on June 9, 1925. After spending the summer in the East, they will return in September to Madison, Wis., where they will be at home at 2,113 Adam st.

1918—Rodolphe A. Gladue and Miss Mary Lucille Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Cook, were married in Providence on June 5, 1926. Mr. and Mrs. Gladue will make their home in Haverstraw, N. Y.

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Margaret Baker Doughty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Doughty of Jamaica, L. I., were married in New York, May 29, 1926. C. Roger Johnson '23n, Philip Saunders, Jr., '24, James C. Scott '19 and Clarence S. Gray '23 were ushers. Mrs. Johnson is a graduate of Wellesley '25. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will make their home in Providence.

1922sp—Norman C. Cleaveland and Miss Ruth Parisette Fearney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Fearney of Edgewood, R. I., were married in Edgewood, June 1, 1926. E. R. Cleaveland '14, brother of the bridegroom, was best man, and the ushers included Zenas R. Bliss '18, Shirley Elsbree '25, William H. Crawford '21, Roger F. Horton '23n and Lester E. Gavitt '18sp. Mr. and Mrs. Cleaveland will live in West Brookfield, Mass.

1923—John J. Kinney and Miss Ophelia Fiore, Women's College '22, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis A. Fiore, were married in Montclair, N. J., May 22, 1926. Mr. and Mrs. Kinney are now at home at 3718 Ninetieth st., Jackson Heights, L. I.

1925—Thomas R. Hadfield and Miss Hazel Donna Foster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Foster, were married in Methuen, Mass., on June 12, 1926.

BIRTHS

1900—To Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Field of Boston, a daughter, Ann Montague, on May 14, 1926.

1902—To Mr. and Mrs. James Bancroft Littlefield of Providence, a son, on June 1, 1926.

1909—To Mr. and Mrs. Herbert M. Sherwood of Providence, a daughter, Ruth, on June 12, 1926.

1914—To Mr. and Mrs. Chester A. Files of Providence, a daughter, on June 1, 1926.

1915—To Rev. and Mrs. Wallace L. Gallup of New London, Conn., a daughter, on June 28, 1926.

1918n—To Mr. and Mrs. John M. Dowe of Danielson, Conn., a son, David Ernest, on May 22, 1926.

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